


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)			Docket No. RLL-170US
In Re Application Of: RAMPAL et al.			
Serial No. 09/941,970	Filing Date August 29, 2003	Examiner Micah Paul Young	Group Art Unit 1615
Invention: CONTROLLED RELEASE FORMULATION OF ERYTHROMYCIN OR A DERIVATIVE THEREOF			
<u>TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u> This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>August 19, 2003</u> above-identified application. <small style="margin-left: 100px;">Date</small>			
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month <input type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months from: <u>November 19, 2003</u> until: <u>December 19, 2003</u> <small style="margin-left: 100px;">Date</small> <small>Date</small>			
The fee for the extension of time is \$110 and is to be paid as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0912 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0912 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.			
 <small style="text-align: center;">Signature</small>		Dated: December 19, 2003	
William Hare, Esq. Reg. No. 44,739 Ranbaxy Pharmaceuticals, Inc. 600 College Road East, Suite 2100 Princeton, New Jersey 08540 Telephone: (609) 720-5378 Facsimile: (609) 514-9779		<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on December 19, 2003 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231. <hr/> <div style="text-align: center;"> <small>Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</small> Kim Campbell <small>Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</small> </div> </div>	
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